

Planes Used In Search For Body

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died of exhaustion as there was no water in his lungs and his heavy jacket was found three feet from the body.

Body Found

The search continued and at 12:25 p.m. the body of Beckman was found one mile straight west of where Hamersley was located. Beckman apparently had drowned in an attempt to reach shore. At 2:30 p.m. officers found the body of Mrs. Loveland, about one and one-quarter mile south-east of where Beckman was found and one mile southwest of the location of the first body.

The motorboat, a 14-foot plywood job, was righted but had apparently been overturned as the gas tank and cylinders of the motor were filled with water. The boat was floating one-quarter of a mile from the landing.

Sheriff Casiday observed that Thursday was a clear, bright day with little wind and it is thought that one member of the party had stood up in the boat and lost balance and the others, in attempting to rescue that person had probably tipped the boat over. It was also the sheriff's opinion that the three who were found had clung to the boat as it drifted in toward shore but had lost their hold although Hamersley is thought to have attempted a swim.

Lake Drugged

Throughout Sunday, officers continued to drag the lake but failed to locate Mrs. Down's body. The sheriff said that although airplanes were flying overhead constantly, the water is so murky that it would be impossible to see a body. The search went on, however, with the expectation that Mrs. Down might be floating on the surface.

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News Notes and Comment

By MARY O'BRIEN

Student Body President Ben Larson was chairman of welcome-home assembly for our Pelican basketball team. Johnny Houston was on hand, as was the KU band. Introductions of the team and coaches were made and the presentation of the second place trophy was made to the student body.



Mary O'Brien

Results of the final tournament game, when we went down to defeat by a two-point margin, were pretty heartbreaking, but our team placed three boys on the all-state teams, more than either Marshfield or Newberg who each placed two. Team Captain Leroy Coleman placed on the all-state first team; Jerry Thorn and Joe Zarosinski made the all-state second team.

To you three boys and each of the other fellows who made the team what it was—one of the top squads of the state—we'll say "nice going" for playing swell ball in all the tourney games.

"Wearing of the Green" was the theme of the matinee dance, sponsored by Pep Peppers in honor of St. Patrick and all Irishmen. Donuts, candy, and cokes were on sale at the dance; 10-cent admission fees were paid to sixth period teachers.

The following seven members of the school wrestling team are excused today, Tuesday, and Wednesday to attend the state wrestling tournament. Rollie Allen, Vern Ericks, Kenneth Karnes, Bill Mosby, Jim Mosby, John Mosby and Bob Simmons.

Publication date of the Krater was held up until today, Monday, to facilitate news coverage of the state tournament. Papers are delivered to sixth period classes for basketball and track students who receive their papers earlier.

Yacht Blows Up On Trip

CEDAR POINT, Md., March 17 (AP)—The former presidential yacht Mayflower, missing one member of the Canadian crew which had just set out on an Arctic seal-hunting expedition, was taken in tow by a coast guard tug Saturday after being wrecked below decks by a boiler explosion and fire.

Sixteen of the 21 survivors had landed in Baltimore just before noon by a Canadian corvette to which they transferred in Chesapeake bay last night after the fire was beaten down with the aid of men from the navy's Patuxent river air station here.

The navy reported the missing crewman was Robert Tellequin of St. Joseph Deforel, Quebec.

The former presidential yacht, veteran of three wars, had served several presidents. She left Baltimore Friday for Halifax, N. S., and Arctic waters on a sealing expedition in which Captain Frank N. Shaw, her latest owner, said he hoped to take 70,000 pelts.

Police Investigate Break-In Try

An attempt to break into the Twin Girls grocery, 620 E. Main, last night, was reported to city police by A. E. Van Bevesen, the owner. A squad car was dispatched to the scene but police were unable to locate the man. Van Bevesen described the alleged culprit and said that he had heard the fellow pounding on the door and making quite a disturbance.

Police believe that the man had probably been partaking of spiritous beverages earlier in the evening and was probably under its influence at the time of the incident.

Summit Lodge Sale Reported

CASCADE SUMMIT, March 17—The Summit lodge situated on the north end of Odell lake has been purchased by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Badley of Portland from Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hall. Badley plans to do extensive improvements on the property and make it a year-round recreation spot.

The lodge was built in 1928 by Alan Wilcoxon, who with Mrs. Wilcoxon operated it until 1935, when it was sold to Mr. and Mrs. David Rae. In 1937, it was purchased by Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Boyle who operated it for two years when Mr. and Mrs. Hall became the owners.

The lower part of the building is of log construction with imitation log in the second story. Included in the business are five cabins, boats, store, gasoline station and the post office is housed in the store building which is in a separate building from the lodge.

It is not definitely known what the purchase price is but the rumor is that it is \$30,000. Mr. and Mrs. Hall will make their home in Eugene for the time being but Hall has made no definite plans as to his future.

Lease Land Awards Told

Six parcels of land totaling 6624 acres in the lease land area of Lower Klamath lake just south of the California state line were awarded to three bidders Monday morning by the U. S. bureau of reclamation.

Lots number 1 and 2 of plat LKLT were awarded to E. R. and M. A. Long on a bid of \$11.11 per acre. The lots total 1464 acres.

C. P. Haskins was high bidder on lots 2 and 3 of LKLT with a bid of \$1.31 per acre. Haskins also was awarded lot 4 in the plat with a bid of 26 cents per acre. Haskins received a total acreage of 2990. The fifth lot of 2170 acres was awarded to Tulana Farms with a bid of 791 cents per acre.

The bids were opened this morning about 9 a. m. The major portion of the land is used principally for grazing, although the land awarded to the Longs and part of that awarded to Tulana Farms may be used for crops.

Hager

Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard have opened the cafe at the Mallory Y market and are having very good business.

Mr. Louis purchased a truck last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Anderson are going to California next week to spend a few weeks visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hendrickson entertained several of their relatives and friends in their home last Sunday.

Martin Snyder has been confined to his home this week due to illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodges are opening a cafe at the Hager crossing.

Last Saturday evening several friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Britton charivariated them. All report a good time.

Delbert Arant was ill and unable to attend school Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes have sold their home here and plan to move soon.

Cascade Summit Has Warm Weather

CASCADE SUMMIT, March 17—After a snowstorm the early part of the week the weather has again become unseasonably warm. The thermometer hovers in the neighborhood of 50 degrees in the daytime.

Thursday Odell lake was a scene that artists often paint but that is rarely seen in real life. The six-mile lake was as smooth as glass with the reflection of the surrounding mountains and trees mirrored in it.

GOP's Ask Greek Support

WASHINGTON, March 17 (AP)—Fresh republican proposals arose today that President Truman (1) officially report his Greek-Turkey aid program to the United Nations and (2) designate Herbert Hoover to direct relief activities in the two countries.

As congress awaited a legislative blueprint on the president's program to spend \$400,000,000 in bolstering the Mediterranean nations against threats of communism, Senator H. Alexander Smith (R-N.J.), voiced concern at any "by-passing" of the UN. He said he thinks a "frank statement" of American intentions should be made directly to the international organization.

At the same time, Senator Moore (R-Okla.), suggested that Hoover, who recently completed a European food survey, be named to direct relief and rehabilitation expenditures which will go along with the limited military aid Mr. Truman promised the two countries.

Income Returns Still Pour In

The 15th of March has passed, but income tax returns continue to come into the local office of the deputy collector of internal revenue in the post office. It was pointed out that a five per cent assessment is being charged for late returns.

The office was open until midnight Saturday for the convenience of late payers, but little activity was reported. The usual last minute rush was noticeably absent this year, according to tax officials. Most persons seem to be getting tired of waiting in line and are either getting their returns in early or mailing them to Portland.

Oregon Cream Sale Figure Drops Off

PORTLAND, March 17 (AP)—Oregon dairymen aren't selling as much cream for manufacture as they used to, the department of agriculture's bureau of agricultural economics reported today.

A detailed report for the first half of 1946 showed a 3 per cent decline from the same period in 1945 in the amount of milk and cream purchased by dairy manufacturers.

All the decline was due to fewer cream sales, and the USDA said the amount of cream sold for manufacturing has been falling steadily for eight years. Butter production during the first half of 1946 dropped 25 per cent.

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French Press Crash Search

GRENOBLE, France, March 17 (AP)—With 13 bodies already recovered, searchers planned to resume their hunt today for other victims of the crash of an air France liner, which was wrecked 25 miles south of here Friday with 23 persons aboard.

The plane, bound from Nice to Paris, hit a cliff on 7000-foot Mount Moucherolle, causing an avalanche which buried the wreckage and victims under tons of snow and rocks.

Eight of the recovered corpses were identified, one that of Edwin John Mantz, United States soldier stationed in Germany. Three other Americans—two men and a woman—were reported aboard.

Air line officials said today Barbara Stanwyck and her husband Robert Taylor of the movies had booked passage on the plane but an improvement in the weather caused them to cancel the reservations and return to Paris by automobile.

Rubber Mills Face Strike

CLEVELAND, March 17 (AP)—Approximately 100,000 members of the CIO United Rubber Workers in plants of the "big four" rubber companies will strike next Sunday at midnight unless their demands for a wage increase are granted. It was announced today by union President L. S. Buckner.

The "big four" are Goodyear, Goodrich, Firestone and U. S. Rubber.

Nearly half the employees involved in the wage dispute are employed in Akron, O., and the remainder in other parts of the nation. The union has been demanding since last fall a wage increase of 26 cents an hour. The average hourly rate in the Akron area is \$1.34.

Cedarville Man Said Not Guilty

ALTURAS, March 17—Alex Ash of Cedarville, accused by the Flournoy brothers, ranchers of Klamath Falls, of the theft of a horse, was found not guilty on the first ballot taken at 1:30 p. m. Saturday. The case was heard in superior court here before Judge A. K. Wylie and had attracted considerable interest in the county.

Ash was charged with the theft and branding of a calf. The case was prosecuted by District Attorney Charles Lederer, with Hardin Barry of Susanville and Paul Baker of Alturas, attorneys for the defendant.

P-80's Set New Flight Record

MANILA, March 17 (AP)—The U. S. 13th air force announced today that the flight Monday of eight jet-propelled P-80 Shooting Stars from Laag, northern Luzon, to Okinawa—a distance of 752 miles—was covered in an official time of 1 hour, 30 min.

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Young Republican Club Proposed

Plans for organizing a Young Republican club were discussed at a meeting of the republican central committee Friday night in the circuit courtroom of the Klamath county courthouse.

Paul Lee, who attended a meeting of the Young Republican club in Eugene, reported on that session.

The budget for the coming year was approved. Presiding over the meeting was Wyatt Padgett, chairman of the central committee.

Baseball Bat Proves Effective

PORTLAND, March 17 (AP)—Armed with a baseball bat, Harold B. Slater went out and captured a man who had a rifle.

It happened in front of his house and Slater returned home. He told police he saw the man walking away from the place with the rifle in his hands.

After the capture, the rifle turned out to be one from Slater's home, police said. They also recovered from the man's automobile \$175 worth of goods from Slater's home. The man was held on \$3000 bond.

Camp White Houses To Go On Block

PORTLAND, March 17 (AP)—The largest sale to date of surplus buildings in Oregon will open Wednesday with 1250 Camp White structures on the block. The sale will continue 20 days.

The war assets administration said the sale would be open to priority buyers and the public concurrently. The offering includes barracks, mess halls, warehouses, repair shops, service clubs and theatres. Camp White is near Medford.

Two Injured At Crater Lake

Two minor injuries were reported from Crater Lake national park Sunday where 1247 persons checked in at the ranger station. Sandra Moore, East Main apartments, Klamath Falls, suffered a badly sprained right knee Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Knob Hill ski bowl, and Mrs. Mary Lovejoy of Medford injured her left leg in a similar accident at the bowl. Both were given first aid at the ranger station and then moved to their homes. Park officials said Mrs. Lovejoy may have a broken leg.

The rangers reported 303 cars at the lake during the day. The weather was bright and clear and skiing good. Maximum temperature was recorded at 65 degrees, 25 minimum. It was warming considerably today and snow depth is 112 inches.

Officers Urged To Act Quickly

FORT LEWIS, March 17 (AP)—Since officers screening boards in the sixth army area must complete their work by March 31, applicants who have applied for regular army commissions and have not been interviewed, were urged today to contact the proper authorities. These are the commanding general of the sixth army at San Francisco or Col. James J. Deery, commanding officer of the Fort Lewis screening board.

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